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Applicants: Painter et al
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For: Resonant optical modulators

Art Unit: 2874
Examiner: Eric K Wong

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.114
AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

08/16/2004

Sir:

A Notice of Allowance dated 05/24/2004 and a Notice of Allowability dated 07/12/2004 have been received in the above-named application. However, Applicants hereby request Continued Examination of the application. Please amend the application as set forth hereinbelow. The amendments are presented in accordance with the Revised Amendment Practice set forth in 37 CFR § 1.121 effective 07/30/2003.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.